

**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF  
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)**

Docket No.  
**CEDAR-44649 (18810-80290)**

In Re Application Of: **Stoika et al.**

Serial No.  
**09/687,911**

Filing Date  
**October 13, 2000**

Examiner  
**Li, Q. J.**

Group Art Unit  
**1632**

Invention: **Modulating Activation of Lymphocytes and Screening Potential Immunomodulating  
Agents by Targeting Pituitary Tumor Transforming Gene (PTTG) Expression  
And/Or Function**

**TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of **January 15, 2003** in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month    ☐ Two months    ☒ Three months    ☐ Four months    ☐ Five months

from: **April 15, 2003**  
*Date*

until: **July 15, 2003**  
*Date*

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

- ☐ is enclosed.  
☒ has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

**CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	2 -	53 =	0	x \$9.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	2 -	4 =	0	x \$42.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$465.00
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME					\$465.00

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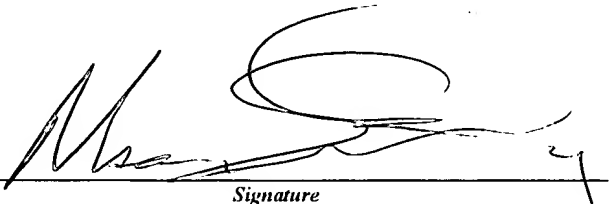
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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of \$465.00 for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- ☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-1597 in the amount of \$465.00
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1597
  - ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
  - ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-1597

  
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Dated: July 15, 2003

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